

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of San Diego Gas & Electric Company (U 902-E) for a Certificate Of Public Convenience & Necessity Valley-Rainbow 500kV Inter-Connect Project.

Application 01-03-036
(Filed March 23, 2001)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING
GRANTING PETITION TO INTERVENE**

On November 27, 2001, Menifee Valley Ranch, LLC (Ranch) filed a petition to intervene as an interested party. No party opposes the petition. Ranch is a planned development in the area of the proposed transmission project. Ranch seeks to intervene in order to ensure that its concerns regarding the impacts on its development plans for the property are considered in the Commission's consideration of this project.

Although Ranch did not appear at the prehearing conference, based on the schedule adopted, there is no prejudice to any party from Ranch intervening at this time. Ranch expects to actively participate in this proceeding through sponsoring testimony, filing briefs, or participating in oral argument. It is my conclusion that Ranch's interest may not at all times coincide with those of other parties. Therefore, I will grant the motion to intervene by Ranch. Parties are reminded that all documents should be served by email on the entire service list concurrent with hard copy service to the appearances and state service portion of the service list.

IT IS RULED that Meniffee Valley Ranch, LLC is granted Interested Party status.

Dated December 13, 2001, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ MICHELLE COOKE

Michelle Cooke
Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling Granting Petition to Intervene on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated December 13, 2001, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ JEANNIE CHANG

Jeannie Chang

N O T I C E

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